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## **Notice to Mariners: Wallops Rocket Launch Scheduled Sept. 17**

The NASA Wallops Flight Facility will launch two meteorological Super-Loki rockets from Wallops Island between 2 and 7 p.m., Monday, September 17. September 18, 5 to 8 p.m. is a backup launch period.

The area in the Atlantic Ocean that poses a danger to mariners during the project is posted on the Boaters Launch Information page under the Wallops web site at [www.wff.nasa.gov](http://www.wff.nasa.gov). Boaters are asked to remain clear of this area during operations.

Wallops will fly an orange aerostat (blimp) at 400 feet altitude over Wallops Island beginning at 30 minutes before the firings. The blimp will be lowered when the mission is completed and the danger to mariners no longer exists.

Completion of the mission will be noted on the Boaters Launch Information page on the Wallops web site, as well as the Wallops launch status line at 757-824-2050.

Thank you for your assistance and support.

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